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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CASC (ROCHA, FATHER ANTHONY)

SUBJ: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION REGARDING THE DISAPPEARANCE OF  
FATHER ANTHONY ROCHA

REF: STATE A-480 AND PREVIOUS

1. EMBASSY CONTINUES TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH ROCHA'S ASSOCIATES  
IN LISBON. PORTUGAL'S POLICIA JUDICIARIA ALSO MAINTAINS OPEN  
FILE ON ROCHA. NEITHER FRIENDS, POLICE NOR EMBASSY HAS DISCOVERED  
ANY NEW INFORMATION OR EVEN A LEAD THAT CAN BE FOLLOWED.  
MATTER STILL STANDS AS REPORTED IN OUR A-201 OF AUGUST 26, 1975.  
AND ACCOMPANYING OFFICIAL-INFORMAL TO PORTUGUESE DESK OFFICER.

2. HAS ANYTHING DEVELOPED FROM TALKS WITH ROCHA'S RELIGIOUS  
SUPERIORS IN MASSACHUSETTS?

3. EMBASSY WOULD WELCOME ANY IDEAS FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATION  
THAT MIGHT RESULT FROM REFERENCED AIRGRAM. IN THE MEANTIME,  
WE HAVE RECEIVED NO INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT DISPOSITION OF ROCHA'S  
EFFECTS. THEY ARE CURRENTLY IN CUSTODY OF PRIESTS AT SANTA  
CASA DO ESPIRITO SANTO.  
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